

REMARKS

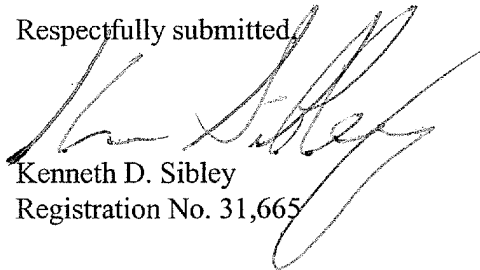
This is in response to the Requirement for Restriction mailed March 17, 2008, in the above-referenced application.

Applicant hereby elects the claims of **Group II** (claims 8-14) for substantive examination.

Reconsideration of the Restriction Requirement is respectfully requested. It is respectfully submitted that, upon further examination, it will be found that a search of the claims of Group I overlaps with a search of the claims of Group II, such that the two groups should be examined together.

It is respectfully submitted that this application is in condition for substantive examination, which action is respectfully requested.

Respectfully submitted,



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